Adult Farmers To Discuss Price Outlook

The Pamplin Adult Farmer Evening Class will discuss the expected price outlooks for farm commodities for 1964 this Thursday night in the Pamplin Elementary School. To help with the discussion will be Thomas Stuart and Earl Finch, members of the Department of Agriculture in Virginia. They will use charts and other visual aids to portray the production, supply, price, and other information on the crops produced in the Pamplin area during the past few years. Items to be discussed will be tobacco, cattle, hogs, dairying, poultry, wheat, corn, and soybeans.

This class is the nineth class in a series of ten meeting with the farmers in the Pamplin area. The last class for the current series will end Thursday night, April 2, with a discussion of wildlife problems by a member of the Virginia Wildlife Department.

Farmers in the Pamplin area are encouraged to attend these meetings which are under the supervision of the Department of Vocational Agriculture at Appomattox High School.

Carver-Price Announces Four District Winners

Carver — Price looking forward to the Science Mathematics and Science Congress, had four first place winners in District Math-Science competition, Saturday, at Central High School, Amherst, Virginia.

Carver Price winners: General Science Grade 7 Mary Webb—1st Place, Oris Tweedy— 2nd Place, John Paige — 3rd place Mathematics Grade 7: Michael Lewis — 1st Place, Russell Abbott — 2nd Place, Alphonsa Lewis — 3rd place.

Mathematics Grade 8: Viola Rita Johnson — 1st Place.

Algebra II: Barbara Humbles—2nd Place.

Geometry: Jessie Lewis— 3rd Place.

Physics: Georgia Walker— 1st Place. Mozell Ferguson — 2nd Place. Phinnize Johnson — 3rd Place.

"A" Projects: "The Panic Button — Edward Paige — 3rd place.

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VPI Head Tells Of Farm Future

Dr. T. J. Horne, director of Instruction for the College of Agriculture at V.P.I. was present at the March meeting of Robert E. Lee FFA Chapter to discuss the opportunities in agriculture. "Agriculture is more than farming", stated Dr. Hoe as he described the phases of agriculture which includes farming, the marketing of farm products, and the servicing and supply of products to be used in farming. "Forty percent of the working population today is engaged in jobs and careers related to agriculture. The field of agriculture is changing so rapidly today that there is a trend toward even greater opportunities in agriculture," explained Dr. Horne.

"At present there are two job opportunities for every college graduate in agriculture. We need more young men with rural backgrounds to enter the field of agriculture. There are many opportunities and challenges in a field which is basic to our economy." Dr. Horne also stressed the need for applying early for admission to colleges since the number who want to go exceeds the number that can be taken in by the college.

Governor Asks Everyone To Beautify State

Governor Harrison today urged all citizens and communities to demonstrate good stewardship by co-operating with "clean Up Weeks in Virginia", April 6-19, designated by Keep Virginia Beautiful, Inc.

D. Bass, W. Haley Tops In Bowling

Independents	26	7
Oakville	13	10
Birdhunters	19	14
Garrett Co.	15	18
Sunoco	12	21
WOW	4	29

High Team—Oakville — 1642
High Set — D. Bass and W. Haley 359
High Game — Glenn Morris 143

The Independents led by Billy Conner's 120 game and James Gowin's 120-338 took two games from the Garment Co. led by Dick Bass 142-359. The Birdhunters led by Glenn Morris's 143-351 took three games from Sunoco led by James Franklin's 11-9 315. Murrell Lankford's 125-353 and Carter Bondurant's 130-343 led Oakville to three games over WOW led by Roger Moore's 121-322 and Floyd Moore's 121 game.

Doubles League

Haley—Doss	23	7
Layne— Phelps	17	10
Pierce — Morris	12	18
Hall Cyrus	9	13
Spiegle	9	21

High Team— Haley Doss 643
High Set — Doss — 322
High Game — Doss — 114

Will Present Good Friday Music Service

The combined choirs of Spout Spring Baptist Church will present a program of Lenten music on Good Friday, March 27, at 8 p.m. Reverend W. S. Livingstone, minister of Salem Methodist Church will read appropriate Scripture passages.

The church pastor, Reverend Thomas A. Waddill directs the adult choir. Mrs. Frances Morris is director of the Carol Choir, and Mrs. Doris Torrence, the Cherub Choir.

HD District III Meet April 15

District III Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs will meet at the Johns Auditorium, Hampden — Sydney College, Prince Edward County, April 15. Prince Edward Home Demonstration members will be hostesses for a coffee hour preceding the 10 a.m. program which will last until 1 p.m. lunch. Mrs. Becky Carter, of the Clover 4-H Club in Appomattox will conduct the devotion.

The program will center around Federation Programs of Work which include Family Life Art in Daily Living, Health, and International Affairs. Tommy Coffman, a 4-H member and IFYE from Roanoke County will relate his experiences in South America.

A tour of the Hampden - Sydney campus will follow the luncheon hour for those interested.

Civic Chorus To Sing Sunday A. M.

The Appomattox Civic Chorus will sing for the Community Easter Sunrise Service at 6:30 a.m. at Memorial Methodist Church, Appomattox. They will sing "God So Loved the World" by John Stainer.

Next practice for the spring concert May 15 will be held April 12 at 2:30 p.m. at the Appomattox Presbyterian Church. Five scheduled practices remain before the Chorus concert, according to an announcement by Chorus president J. Franklin Vaughan.

Local Salesman Will Receive Special Awards

NORFOLK, VA — Aout 250 Ford dealership car and truck salesmen in the Richmond Ford district will be honored at a banquet at the Golden Triangle Motor Hotel in Norfolk, on Monday, March 30, for outstanding retail sales performance during 1963.

H. D. Richardson, Richmond district sales manager, said 300-500 Club membership awards are presented for excellent retail sales performance. The Sales Award is a special recognition within the Ford 300-500 Club which was founded in 1950 to recognize the performance of outstanding Ford salesmen throughout the country.

Mr. Richardson added that the average 300-500 Club member sold nearly $400,000 worth of automotive merchandise in qualifying for the national honors.

Local Ford retail salesmen qualifying for awards include:

SALES AWARD: Jutson J. Morris, Grinels Motor Co., Appomattox.

300-500 CLUB: L. Page Petty, Grinels Motor Co., Appomattox.

Farmers Lure City Folks Outdoors For Fun And Profit

When Howard W. Brent, Jr. stepped up to the microphone last week during the five-day outdoor recreation symposium held in Blacksburg, you could easily tell he was a man who loved his work.

Brent operates a campground called "Grey's Point" near Topping, Virginia.

For years and years ago Grey's Point was merely an attractive patch of woods along the banks of the Rappahannock River. But then Brent moved in with an ax and shovel and converted it into a campground complete with hot showers and a trading post. He opened it to the public last summer.

The public came and looked, and apparently liked what they saw. At any rate, they didn't seem to mind paying Brent $3 a night for camping under his trees.

Brent didn't make a killing last summer, in fact he didn't even show a profit, and doesn't expect to for three years. But he's having the time of his life mingling with campers whom he calls, "high quality people," and doing the work he loves.

Then there was Philip M. Mitchell, of Manassas, at the symposium. He converted his farm into a shooting preserve, turning his chicken house and barn into a plush, elaborate club house and dog kennel.

He sells hunting to city folk, and when he isn't selling hunting he's training, boarding and feed, dogs, and selling game birds for meat.

Mitchell's partner, whom he calls a "man-and-a-half" is his wife. Last season she dressed 1,000 birds for hunters and "while she was resting she took care of my five children," Mitchell said.

Also at the symposium was farmer John A. Wade from Alexander went down to his farm pond to fish one day, and was told by some stranger to get the heck out of there.

"Do you know who owns this pond," Wade asked the stranger.

"Yeah, some fellow called Wade," the answer came.

Wade then told the stranger he was Wade and to wade the heck out of his pond.

So Wade posted his farm ponds and put a sign along the road saying, "Fishing $1 a day." This little sign brings in $600 to $1,000 a year in extra income.

These are ways landowners and farmers are cultivating that new crop called commercial recreation which was thoroughly discussed by professional agriculturalists and outdoor recreation workers during the symposium.

"Bargain Seed" May Cost More

Know the percentage of Pure Live Seed (PLS) in the seed you buy and make sure you get the most for your money, says the Virginia Department of Agriculture.

The number of Pure Live Seed is the actual number of seed that should germinate and grow under satisfactory field conditions. A so-called "bargain" price seed may have a low PLS percentage and in the long run cost you more money.

Use the information on the seed tag to figure out the price you're paying for seed that are capable of growing.

Here's the formula: multiply the per cent purity by the per cent germination and point off two places.

For example: in a hundred pound bag of seed that shows 98 per cent purity and 80 per cent germination the percentage of PLS is 90 times 80, or 72 per cent of the lot of seed.

This means that only 72 pounds of seed is acutally Pure Live Seed that can be expected to germinate.

Now to figure the price you're paying for good seed just divide the per cent of PLS into the price per hundred pounds.

By using this formula you may discover that the lowest priced seed will actually cost you more. You will also be better guided to the rate of seeding necessary for a good stand.

Always read the seed tag and learn what you can about the quality of the seed. Take time to figure the percentage of Pure Live Seed in any lot of seed you buy.

Last year in Virginia, 10,611 crippled children and adults received direct care and treatment at one of the 40 centers and services across the state supported by contributions to the Easter Seal Society.

4-H News

The Jr. 4-H Club met in Mrs. A. 94st. at Appomattox High School. The meeting was called to order by the president. Afterwards we said the pledge of allignce and 4-H pledge. The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting and they were approved. Then the meeting was turned over to Mr. McCoy. He told us about the demonstration and public speech contest which is going to be held March 21. He introduced guest speakers Mr. Graham A. Pitsenberger, of the County Health Department. He talked to us on sanitation and showed us some slides on it that were taken in our own community. Then adjourned by the president.

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Concord Teens To Campaign For Red Cross

Mrs. Travis Cardwell, chairman of the March Fund Drive in the Concord area of the Rustburg District has announced that the teen-agers of that community are formulating plans to conduct the March Red Cross Fund Campaign in that area during their spring vacation this week.

The young people participating are Linda Kay Feagans, Charles Feagans, Nancy Pratt, John Pratt, Dwight Inge, Sandra Inge, Ginna Sue MacKenzie, Brenda Jordan, Carmenette Garrett, Darlene Pitzgerald, Mary Ford Clifton, Alice Raye Martin, Melinda Burleigh, Doris Torrence, Philip Burleigh, Susan Burleigh, Bill Burleigh, Ronnie Torrence, Lois Torrence Kendall Burleigh, G. H. Jones, III, Douglas Evans, Layton Evans, Sammy Jones, David Cardwell, T. J. Cardwell, Frankie Mtz, Gerald Williamson, Carey Lee, and Audrey Cardwell.

Taxpayers Must List SS Number

The law now requires taxpayers to list their social security numbers on their Federal income tax returns. If both have have income, husband and wife should list their numbers on a joint return. If only one has income, only his number is required.

A. M. Stoepler of the Internal Revenue Service said some returns are being filed in which one or both social security numbers are omitted. Along with checking other entries on the return, taxpayers should double check to make sure that social security numbers are complete and accurate.

If you do not have a number, ask the nearest Internal Revenue office for application Form 32 27.

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3-19-61	Hillsboro (N.C.) Int.	Marvin Panch	125.5	Fred Lorenzen	125.5
4-16-61	Bristol (Tenn.) Int.	Jim Paul	125.5	Fred Lorenzen	125.5
5-14-61	Charlotte (N.C.) Int.	Jim Paul	124.5	Fred Lorenzen	124.5
6-18-61	Atlanta (Ga.) Int.	Jim Paul	124.5	Fred Lorenzen	124.5
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Training Or Knowledge

EDUCATION in a liberal arts college is viewed by some people as a status symbol of prestige. Scientific training now must be developed into a status symbol of value. For one reason, the graduate science has something to sell — he can get a job immediately. The state of a technical school begins to pay immediately upon graduation, and good, but that is no argument against liberal arts education.

A recent conference we heard that the dean of history, both Virginia and United States history, and other courses relate to a liberal arts college entrance class of time. We cannot agree.

Quite true that a graduate from technical school has been trained for a certain job. He can become an employee of a industrial plant and begins to pay immediately. He will have to be a technician, and he will have to make progress circumscribed by union rules. He has a security; he becomes a part of a huge machine. He does not know what makes this nation tick, or understand the structure of his own government. He begins to earn, he begins to produce, he gets married, buys a car, and from that time on he is wedded to his niche in the industrial machine.

To some extent the same is true in all of the professions. A far larger percentage of the graduating legal studies find jobs with the government or lawyers are more and more numerous and more numerous, or a large company, or joins a team of several lawyers to do the clerk's work. Other professions have the same experience. Few young men today venture on their own to make their way in an insecure society.

Granted that a graduate from a liberal arts college has less training in specific saleable services. He must go into postgraduate studies to equip himself with specific knowledge which he can sell. But, with a background of a broad base of knowledge, his progress is generally faster than that of the graduate without the background. From the group with the broad educational background generally come the executives. Discipline of the mind in liberal arts education developes a quality of executive potential and stability.

Unless the youngster today is taught in public schools and in colleges the history of mankind, with especial emphasis on United States and Virginia history, we may find a nation of scientists who are going somewhere but don't know where. They are susceptible to all of the false ideas and isms. They become followers not leaders.

We believe that de-emphasis of the humanities and over-emphasis of sciences accounts for must of the present day chaos in sound thinking among our people. We have been sold a bill of goods of security to the detriment of individual initiative, and possibly continued freedom. We flirt with our own slavery when we fail to understand or minimize the principles underlying our own government.

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Background Scripture: John 20: 1-29.
Devotional Reading: Corinthians 15:42-57.

Easter Faith

Lesson for March 29, 1964

Easter is a Christian festival. That seems to insult your intelligence, perhaps No offense is intended. But Christians as well as non-Christians need a reminder that apart from the Christian faith there would be no Easter. All sorts of people try to latch on to Easter, so many in fact that it is observed as a holiday season by millions of people who have not the least idea what it really means.

What word goes most often with "Easter" in newspapers and greeting cards Over and over you will see or hear the expression, Easter bonnet, or Easter outfit, or Easter parade. A day to show off, to dress up to the nines and in fact try to outdress everybody else; to make yourself into a fashion model. Sometimes the reason is given that because this is the season when all nature is bright and singing, we should be bright and gay ourselves. But of course this is not it, it isn't even a parody, it is not the Easter idea at all.

It is not a festival to celebrate the returning spring. There is a poem which is quite lovely and yet makes a sad mistake about God. The last lines go:

"Green April is thy very soul.
Thou great Lord God."

But green April is not God's soul. Its beauty was no doubt in God's mind before the world began; but God's soul is not a season of the year.

Faith on the First Easter

Easter does not celebrate even immortality or resurrection, though this is getting "warm." On the first Easter morning in Jerusalem, what disciple of Jesus was happy? Not one, so far as we know. The disciples were anxious, downcast, in utter confusion. In a few hours it was quite different; but when that Sunday morning dawned, although all Jesus' friends so far as we know believed in immortality or resurrection, they were not made happy by that belief. We have two examples in John's story: Mary Magdalene and Thomas the apostle. Each of them began the day in confusion and sorrow. Spring had come, but how empty and mocking spring can be to a grieving heart! Mary on that very day, and Thomas a week afterwards, came to the Easter truth, the great fact: He is risen! That is the right message of the day. Not, we shall live again (although that is included), but He lives. By His resurrection Jesus was proclaimed Lord of death and the place of the dead. (See Rev. 1: 17-19.- Now Mary and Thomas were quite different in their own expressions at their first discovery of the truth. Thomas said, "My Lord and my God!" while Mary Magdalene said only, "Rabboni!" which means "My teacher." Mary had a long way to go before she came to have the faith of Thomas; but Christ does not rebuke her for not being humble enough. If you start with realizing that in Christ we confront the power of God, you have faith and won — won a victory for us all — and if you keep on thinking what that means, you will be sharing the meaning and message of Eastertide.

Because He Lives . . .

If that had been all it would have been enough. But there is something more. Christians have long believed: Because He lived, I too shall live! The writings of St. Paul are bright with the thought that we share in the risen life of Christ. The Resurrection, which is the reason for Easter, is also, and more importantly, the reason for the Christian's life of joy. Easter is not merely a time to retell wonder stories from the days of old. It is not a time to celebrate the heroic triumph of Jesus of Nazareth alone, it is a time to begin to share in the triumph. Each Christian is set free to say, because this is His Day, it is my Day in less. What does it benefit us that a light brighter than the sun shone in Joseph's garden long ago if no light is kindled in your own soul.

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Pastor Speaks

EVERLASTING

How long is everlasting. Someone has sought to give some indication by saying if you were to take one grain of sand from the shores of the Atlantic, walk across these United States, and deposit it on the shores of the Pacific, repeating this process until all the grains of sand were transported to the Pacific, and then reverse the process, that eterity or everlasing would only have begun. This is another way of saying that human language breaks down when one seeks to describe Everlasting, especially from the time-element.

Yet this is all tied in with Easter. The Message of Easter is related to the Resurrection. The Resurrection is directly related to Jesus being raised from the dead.

In Matthew 28:18, Jesus said to his followers (this was after his own resurrection) "Lo I am with you always . . .' And the great writer of Hebrews stated, "Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, today and forever "Heb. 13:8 This statement is boldly put forth in the light of the Resurrection of our Lord.

We see, in these two Biblical quotations, two words used to express Everlasting" — always —forever. Really these are saying, "I am with you all the way" from now on into and throughout eternity. Further they would say "There will never be a time from now on when I will not be with you". All these promises are based upon, and assured on one fact — The Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Everlasting life, existence with Christ from "now on" depends upon our relationship to the Living Christ. It was on the hilltop of Olivet, just before he left his disciples that this claim to be "everlastingly with them"—and us. This has been the basis and the keeping alive the Church and the Kingdom of God.

Amputate the resurrection and you have something else than the Christian gospel. The incarnation, the resurrection and ascension are all acts of the eternal God and Our Lord Jesus Christ.

What Jesus was while upon this earth he is eternally. He is the same in forgiveness. What he did while here upon the earth is forgiving people of their sins he is still doing as they trust him as their personal Saviour. As He forgave the woman of Schyear, so he does today. To the woman who was pelleted to death by the angry mob, he said, "thy sins be forgive thee. Go and sin no more."

Wherever his story is told people still experience new life in Christ. Based upon His resurrection, Jesus still gives everlasting life. The missionary in the deserted land, the goodwill worker in the slum, the pastor in the wealthy pulpit. Christ is still in business of giving people everlasting life.

He is also present in all contemporary activity. His beautiful character inspires to noble living; His healing power affect the mental suffering. Medical science now recognizes the eternity of the spiritual in healing activity. Christ was alive in the gospels, in the early movement of Christianity, and still is in business in contemporary life.

His presence is understandable too. He enters the sick room, He is in the worship at church, He is ever available in today's world. His presence comes through His love and grace. All these are true because of the resurrection. Eternity is working in today's world. He is in any life who has experienced the resurrection through Jesus Christ our Lord.

This Easter season, may he become more real to each as we enter into His House in worship and praise.

O. D. Moore
Liberty Baptist Church

Glendale

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Nash had Mr. and Mrs. David Nash, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Nash, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Nash and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nash for Sunday dinner. Also the grandchildren. Little Bennie Nash is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Jordan visited Mrs. Margaret Marshall on Friday.

Mrs. Gearld Blanks visited her parents at Big Island on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Marshall had Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Marshall for supper Saturday night. It was Tommy's birthday.

Miss Jean Holt visited her sister and brother-in-law, r. and Mrs. Morris Hodnutt, in their new home near Rustburg.

New Concord Presbyterian Church Easter Sunday Sunrise Service at 5:45 a.m. at the farm of Dr. and Mrs. Harmon Evans. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nash are in charge of the service.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Eastman, of Colonial Heights, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Marshall, Jr. over the week end.

The neighborhood went to the Auction Sale of Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall Saturday.

Mrs. Arlene Colley visited her brother, Mr. Edward Cheatham Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nash visited Mrs. Hankins in Danville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nash visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nash Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mary Cheatham a pent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall.

Mrs. Bertha Jones and Mrs. Sue Marshall spent Tuesday in Glady with Mrs. Virginia Tibbs.

Conner Seeking P-TA Delegates

President Billy Conner of the Appomattox Elementary P-TA, asked Thursday night for members to try to attend the annual Lynchburg District P-TA meeting on Friday, April 10, at Amherst High School. Thirteen delegates may vote from Appomattox. Conner said. He asked parents to notify him if they can attend. Life Members will be honored at the meeting.

The P-TA voted to pay $30.00 a year into a scholarship fund set up by the Appomattox Education Association. Scholarship will amount to $400, Conner said.

Mrs. Ella Gordon's room won the $5.00 attendance prize.

Director of Instruction, C. Bruce Chandler, announced that pre - school registration would take place soon on a school day at 3:30 p.m. instead of the previous custom of scheduling a full day of activity for children planning to enter school next year. A birth certificate and immunization record should be brought to school with the child, said Chandler. Smallpox vaccination is the only vaccination required, he said.

President Conner announced that a slate of orrocers will be presented at the April meeting and will be elected and installed at the May meeting. Mrs. Martin Webb heads the committee to select the teacher recipient of the Life Membership Award, which will be presented in May.

Graham Pitsenberger announced that only $14.20 was needed out of $35.00 allotted, to complete payment of a duplicating machine. $20.00 was paid to clean cafeteria curtains, he said, and $12.00 was given to construct a horizontal bar for the Elementary playground. Pitsenberger said that approximately $40.00 would be needed to pay for an audiometer out of a $90.00 allocation originally made by the P-TA for the purchase.

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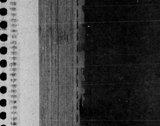

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